

# News *fire information*

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## For Immediate Release

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## Wildfire Fact Sheet

Note: Get the latest fire updates on Twitter [@UtahWildfire](#)  
(Use hashtag #MesaFire)

**Start Date:** May 26, 2012 approx. 2:15 PM

**Location:** Washington County, approx 5 miles north of Virgin, UT in the Smith Mesa Area

**Jurisdiction:** Washington Co. Private Land

**Fire Size:** approx. 138 acres

**Cause:** Escaped Campfire

**Fire Behavior:** smoldering, flare ups within the perimeter

**Closures:** none

**Structures:** fire burned around two cabins and a camp trailer no damage reported. Two other cabins threatened.

**Percent Contained:** 50%

**Fuels:** grass, brush, pinyon and juniper

**Fire Crews/Resources:** currently 7 engines, 3 water tenders from local state and federal agencies

**Evacuations:** none

**Injuries:** none

**Summary:** crews were aided overnight by cool temperatures and higher relative humidity and are continuing to mop up as weather warms and dries today.

For more information on fires in Utah visit [www.utahfireinfo.gov](http://www.utahfireinfo.gov).

For more information on fires across the country, visit [www.incweb.org](http://www.incweb.org).

